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Sir:

Please issue a Certificate of Correction for U. S. Patent 6,828,323, as errors appear in the printed patent. Enclosed are two copies of Form PTO/SB/44 with the errors listed thereon. Also enclosed are copies of the specification pages referred to herein.

The printing errors appeared correctly in the application, as shown by the enclosed copies of the specification pages as originally filed. Specifically, the error in column 8, lines 23-30, third structure, appears correctly on page 12 of the application as originally filed.

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The error in column 9, lines 3-10, first structure, appears correctly on page 13, first structure, of the application as originally filed.

The errors in column 12, lines 14, 15 and 17, appear correctly on page 18, lines

14-15 of the application as originally filed.

The error in column 22, line 24, appears correctly on page 35, line 3 of the

application as originally filed.

The error in column 27, claim 13, line18 appeared correctly in the Response to

Office Action filed November 25, 2003.

It is believed that the present submission does not require the payment of any

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Column 8, lines 23-30, third structure, replace the third structure with --

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Column 12, line 14, replace "ORc, SRc, NRcRf," with --ORe, SRe, NReRf --.

Column 12, line 15, replace "CONR_cR_f, where R_c" with --CONR_eR_f, where R_e --.

Column 12, line 17, replace "ORc, and SRc where Rc " with --ORe, and SRe where Re --.

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substantially interfere with the desired microorganism neutralization of the microorganism neutralizer, as may readily be determined without undue experimentation by those skilled in the art.

The invention provides a class of compounds wherein a plurality of R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 are neither CH₃ nor H; and a class of compounds wherein one of R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 is neither CH₃ nor H. Particular embodiments of compounds of those classes include those wherein a R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 or R6 which is neither CH₃ nor H imparts substantial water solubility to the microorganism neutralizer. Preferred examples of these compounds are:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} CH_3 & CH_3 \\ \hline \\ O=C & N & N & N \\ \hline \\ OR & O & N \end{array}$$

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wherein R is a substituent imparting water solubility to the molecule, including, but not limited to, ascorbate, alcohol, polyalcohol; amine or polyamines, straight chain or cyclic saccharides, sulfates, phosphates, alkyl chains optionally substituted with -OH at any position, glycols, including polyethylene glycol and polyethers.

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Another class of compounds of the invention include those wherein a R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 or R6 that is neither H nor CH₃ contains a halogen or is a halogen, wherein the halogen is selected from the group consisting of fluorine, chlorine, bromine and iodine. Particular embodiments of compounds of this class include compounds where a R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 or R6 that is neither H nor CH₃ is: -NR^a-(CR^bR^c)_n-X wherein X is a halogen selected from the group consisting of chlorine, bromine and iodine, or is a water soluble group, R^a, R^b and R^c are, independently of each other, selected from the group consisting of hydrogen and optionally substituted hydrocarbyl, and n is an integer from 0 to 20.

Preferred examples of compounds of this class are:

where W is a substituent imparting water solubility to the molecule, including, but not limited to, ascorbate, alcohol, polyalcohol; amine or polyamines, straight chain or cyclic saccharides, sulfates, phosphates, alkyl chains optionally substituted with -OH at any position, glycols, including polyethylene glycol and polyethers.

group substituted with a heterocyclic aromatic ring. The aromatic rings in the heterocyclic biaryl group can be optionally substituted.

"Biaryl" refers to carbocyclic aryl groups in which a phenyl group is substituted by a carbocyclic aryl group ortho, meta or para to the point of attachment of the phenyl ring to the decalin or cyclohexane. Biaryl groups include among others a first phenyl group substituted with a second phenyl ring ortho, meta or para to the point of attachment of the first phenyl ring to the decalin or cyclohexane structure. Para substitution is preferred. The aromatic rings in the biaryl group can be optionally substituted.

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Aryl group substitution includes substitutions by non-aryl groups (excluding H) at one or more carbons or where possible at one or more heteroatoms in aromatic rings in the aryl group. Unsubstituted aryl, in contrast, refers to aryl groups in which the aromatic ring carbons are all substituted with H, e.g. unsubstituted phenyl ($-C_6H_5$), or naphthyl ($-C_{10}H_7$). Suitable substituents for aryl groups include among others, alkyl groups, unsaturated alkyl groups, halogens, OH, SH, NH₂, COH, CO₂H, OR_e, SR_e, NR_eR_f, CONR_eR_f, where R_e and R_f independently are alkyl, unsaturated alkyl or aryl groups. Preferred substituents are OH, SH, OR_e, and SR_e where R_e is a lower alkyl, i.e., an alkyl group having from 1 to about 3 carbon atoms. Other preferred substituents are halogens, more preferably chlorine or bromine, and lower alkyl and unsaturated lower alkyl groups having from 1 to about 3 carbon atoms. Substituents include bridging groups between aromatic rings in the aryl group, such as -CO₂-, -CO-, -O-, -S-, -P-, -NH-, -CH=CH- and - $(CH_2)_{\ell}$ - where ℓ is an integer from 1 to about 5, and particularly - CH_2 -. Examples of aryl groups having bridging substituents include phenylbenzoate. Substituents also include moieties, such as $-(CH_2)_{\ell}$, $-O-(CH_2)_{\ell}$ or $-OCO-(CH_2)_{\ell}$, where ℓ is an integer from about 2 to 7, as appropriate for the moiety, which bridge two ring atoms in a single aromatic ring as, for example, in a 1, 2, 3, 4tetrahydronaphthalene group. Alkyl and unsaturated alkyl substituents of aryl groups can in turn optionally be substituted as described *supra* for substituted alkyl and unsaturated alkyl groups.

Synthesis

Carboxyriboflavin (1, McCormick, D. (1970) J. Heter. Chem. 7:447) is photolyzed in aqueous alkali to form a carboxylumiflavine (2).

$$\begin{array}{c} CH_2OH \\ CHOH \\$$

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5 Compound 2 is converted to an acid chloride 3 with oxallylchloride.



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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 29, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 26 of this paper.

photosensitizer, one of R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 is neither CH3 nor H.

- 50. (currently amended) The compound composition of claim 49, wherein in the photosensitizer, the R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 that is neither CH₃ nor H imparts substantial water solubility to the compound.
- 51. (currently amended) The compound composition of claim 50, wherein in the photosensitizer, the R1, R2, R3, R4, R5 and R6 that imparts substantial water solubility to the compound is selected from the group consisting of: straight chain or cyclic saccharides having 5 or 6 carbon atoms; -OH; -NH₂; -SO₄; -PO₄;

and alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl or aryl groups containing one or more members selected from the group consisting of: -OH, -O-, -S-, -NH₂, -SO₄, and -PO₄.

- 52. (currently amended) The compound composition of claim 51, wherein in the photosensitizer, R2, R3, R4, R5 or R6 is neither H nor CH₃.
- 53. (currently amended) The compound composition of claim 51, wherein in the photosensitizer, R3 and R6 are H.
- 54. (currently amended) The compound composition of claim 49, wherein in the